

REMARKS

Claims 1 and 3-18 are pending. By this amendment, claims 1, 3 and 4 are amended, claim 2 is canceled, and claims 13-18 are added.

The office action rejects claims 3 and 4 under 35 USC 112, second paragraph. It is submitted that the term "recharge" is described in the specification and is definite. Claim 4 has been amended to correct the typographical error. Withdrawal of the rejection is requested.

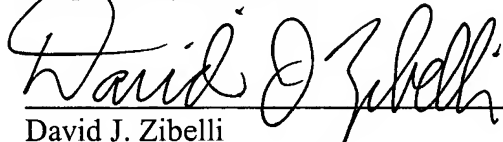
The office action rejects claim 1 under 35 USC 103, and also indicates that the other claims contain allowable subject matter. Because claim 1 has been amended to include the subject matter of claim 2, withdrawal of the rejection is requested. Claims 13-18 contain subject matter which is believed to be allowable. In particular, in the applied Toyoda patent, the word driver is constructed of bipolar transistors, while claim 13, the MOS transistors respectively have a source and a drain coupled between each voltage and word lines to output a voltage which differs from the Read/Write/non-select. Thus, since the path of DC current is shut off, low power consumption is realized.

For the above reasons, it is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Allowance in due course is requested.

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